RADIOACTIVE PERMIT APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

The following information, including signing certifications from both the shipper and the carrier, must be supplied to the Department of Transportation, Oversize/Overweight Permit Unit, 2800 Berlin Turnpike, PO Box 317546, Newington, CT 06131-7546, prior to the issuance of a permit to transport radioactive materials. All required information with the exception of the signed certifications, will be accepted by telephone, mail or by telecopier equipment.

A copy of the shipping documents, signed by the shipper, may be submitted in lieu of the shipper's certification, and both the shipper's and carrier's certification may be sent to the Department of Transportation, Oversize/Overweight Permit Unit via telecopier equipment.

No person shall transport radioactive material over Connecticut highways until a permit has been issued by the Commissioner of Transportation.

Permits are issued for: (1) any quantity of radioactive material specified as a "large quantity" by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission in 10 CFR, Part 71, entitled "Packaging of Radioactive Material for Transport", (2) any quantity of radioactive waste which has been produced as part of the nuclear fuel cycle and which is being shipped from or through the State to a waste disposal site or facility, or (3) any shipment of radioactive material or waste which is carried by commercial carrier and which is required in 10 CFR or 49 CFR to have a placard.

All permit applications to transport radioactive material shall be made to the Connecticut Department of Transportation during normal working hours, Monday thru Friday.

No applications will be processed without a two hour advance notice, nor will an application be accepted more than one working day in advance of the scheduled move.

No application will be considered until the applicant has submitted the following certificates to the Commissioner of Transportation.

A written statement from the shipper certifying that the articles described in the shipping papers are properly classified, described, packaged, marked, labeled, and the articles are in proper condition for transportation, according to the applicable Regulations of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and the Federal Department of Transportation.

A written statement from the carrier certifying that the packaged radioactive material has been loaded, blocked and properly secured onto the transport vehicle. The certification shall also state that the vehicle and load are in compliance with the applicable Motor Carrier Safety Regulations of the federal Department of Transportation.

In addition to the required certifications from the shipper and the carrier, each applicant shall provide the following information:

- 1. Name of shipper.
- 2. Name and mail address of the carrier.
- 3. Type of major isotopes, quantity (in becquerel) and type of label.
- 4. Date and time of shipment.
- 5. Origin, scheduled route and destination. (All routing will be via limited access highways and the shortest practicable route to and from them.)
- 6. Year, make, color, State of registration and plate number of both the tractor and trailer.
- 7. Driver(s) and name(s).
- 8. Any additional information as required.

This permit shall be retained in the possession of the operator of the vehicle while transporting the radioactive material over Connecticut highways.

In the interest of public health and safety, the following requirements are to be considered a condition of the permit.

- 1. All final routing shall be determined by the Connecticut Department of Transportation.
- 2. All shipments are to be made during daylight hours between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday though Friday.
- 3. No permit moves Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays.
- 4. The permit must be in the possession of the operator of the vehicle while transporting the radioactive material over Connecticut State Highways.
- 5. The provisions of Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations concerning the Transport of Hazardous Material, a copy of which is on file with the Commissioner of Transportation, shall be deemed as part of the conditions of this permit.
- 6. The person, firm, or corporation to whom the permit is granted shall pay a fee of \$25.00, payable in advance, for each single trip permit. Refunds will not be made for unused permits.